Pamplin

Pamplin, May 14.- Week-end visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Black were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Andes, of Bealston.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Anderson, of Mars Hill, N. C.

Mrs. F. B. Fitzgerald returned to her home here last week, after spending some time with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Briant, of Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood, of Winchester were week-end guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. F. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brightwell and daughter, Billy Star, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wooten, of Burkeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Canada and little daughter, of Richmond, were week-end visitors of relatives here.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fitzgerald were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baird and children; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spencer and children, of Buckingham; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fitzgerald Jr. and son, and Eldridge Fitzgerald, of Concord; and Mr. and Mrs. Moon Fitzgerald and children, of Farmville.

Mrs. J. W. D. Canada spent several days last week with relatives at Halifax and Phenix.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fore and family, of Waco, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richardson alst week.

J. M. Cobb, Jr., of Lynchburg, spent the week-end at his home here.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Bessie Wilkerson last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Ottie Davison and Mrs. Gene Baldwin, of Appomattox; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Pitsenger, of Harrisonburg; Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Wilkerson, of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pitsenger, of Roanoke; Mrs. Albert Kowalsky and daughter, Barbara Faye, of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Eunice Baldwin and son, Kenneth, of Pamplin.

Mrs. John Buscemi and children, of Richmond were week-end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. D. Canada.

The W.S. C. S. of the Methodist Church met Monday night, with Mrs. Luther Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nash, of Williamsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Guthery, of Lynchburg were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Davis.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Farrk Moore of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Redford, of Lynchburg; Miss Ruth Harris, Miss Elizabeth Singleton, and Mr. Leslie Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwood Hix, of Norfolk were the week-end guests of Mrs. R. W. Smith.

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Appomattox is a growing town.

Stonewall

Stonewall, May 13.- I do hope all the mothers had a nice day on Sunday.

Today, we want to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard on their wedding anniversary. Also it is Mr. Lester Carson's birthday. We wish him a happy day and hope all will see many more happy days.

Mr. Sam Davidson, of Richmond, and Miss Virginia Davidson, of Lynchburg spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison and family spent the week-end with relatives in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings and children, of North Carolina, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paulette, at Drakes Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrington Beard and children, of Richmond, spent the week-end with his mother, and her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson spent Mother's Day in Roanoke with his mother, Mrs. Lula Morgan and his brother, Wilton and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carson and Mrs. John Burnette spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carson in Roanoke.

The W. S. C. S. of the Bethel Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. J. A. Stratton in Lynchburg on last Tuesday night, with good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence visited his mother and her parents for Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson spent last Saturday in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Lee and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Wheeler, at Rustburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Drinkard spent Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Showalter, of Lynchburg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson on Sunday night.

Rev. B. F. Robinson, of Appomattox filled the pulpits of Bethel and Trinity Churches on Sunday morning; in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Aaron Smith, who is in a meeting near Danville.

ONE WISE MAN

Scranton, Pa.- A parking lot owner was somewhat puzzled by the sight of one lone, unattended car on the premises when he opened for business recently. Investigating he found a note under the windshield of the car which read: "I am drunk. I do not want to drive. I parked here. Whatever it costs, I'll pay." The owner's name was signed to it.

Evergreen

Evergreen, May 14.- Mrs. J. E. Greene attended the executive W. M. U. meeting in Richmond last Friday.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Carter, of Salem visited Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hamilton last week.

Mr and Mrs. Jerry Meadows, of Richmond visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples.

S/Sgt. Albert L. Wright, of Hampton, Va. visited over the week-end in the home of Miss Jean LeGrand.

Mrs. Edward Duffner, of Lynchburg spent Sunday with her father, Mr. T. T. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs Harry Ferguson, and Mrs. Paulette's mother, Mrs. Alberta Ferguson.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clapp and Mrs. Ruth Calpp were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Martin and family, Mr. Dan Clapp, and Mr. and Mrs. John M. Clapp, of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Enid Clapp and family, Miss Doris Clapp, of Longwood College, Farmville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bruce and family spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Eva Snowden, at Port Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. David Garrette, of Alexandria spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Warriner.

Those who visted Mrs. W. B. Thomas and Mrs. Eula Flesman over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Booker, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker and daughter, Ann; Mrs. C. I. Harvey and daughter, Terrell, of Cullen; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnson and family, of Farmville; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flesman, Lynchburg; Mrs. Sarah Caldwell and Miss Vivian Wooldridge.

Richwood

Richwood, Va., May 15.- "The highway of the upright is to depart from evil; he that keepeth his way preserverth his soul." —Proverb.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ferguson and daughter, Judy, of Lynchburg, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wooldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Marsh and daughter, of Norfolk, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh.

Mr. Tom Marsh is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Marsh in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Paulette and children were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett.

Income tax receipts appear to be up to estimates.

Rocks

Rocks, May 13.- It was pretty weather here for Mother's Day Sunday. Not only should we honor mother on Mother's Day, but every day during the year.

Rev. Joseph R. Darden had charge of the prayer service on Tuesday night.

Little Michael Ranson, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranson, was rushed to a hospital in Lynchburg last week.

The Rocks Home Demonstration Club met with Cassie Baldwin last Thursday night, with very good attendance.

Quite a few from here attended the revival meeting at Evergreen last week.

Mrs. John Ranson took Mrs. Maude Ranson to see her sister, Mrs. John Davis, at Pamplin, who fell and broke her arm recently.

Mrs. D. R. Inge had her children to visit her awhile Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cawthorne awhile Saturday night.

About The Home

By Frances Dell

Dahlias grow well in all parts of the United States. They come in sizes and prices to suit all tastes and pocketbooks. The color range defies description.

In the South you can set Dahlias out around the end of March. In the North it is best to wait until mid-May.

For best results, prepare a place for planting several weeks ahead of time. Dahlias will do best if given a place in full sun with good drainage and a rich soil, containing a good deal of organic matter.

Spread compost liberally over the chosen planting area. Add bonemeal and several pounds of potash. Work soil about twenty inches deep.

Just before setting out tubers, work the bed again and soak with water. Rake smooth. Place tubers in holes six inches deep. Plant three feet apart.

It is good to cultivate the soil good at least once a week to keep a crust from forming.

As plants grow — keep all but the strongest shoots cut back. They must be staked as protection against wind.

Add a new flavor to dried prunes by adding a few whole cloves while cooking. Another idea is to cook them in grape juice.

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WILT DISEASES BUGABOO OF TOMATO GROWERS

Wilt diseases are one of the foremost bugaboos of the tomato grower.

Plant pathologists at the Virginia Truck Experiment Station at Norfolk, say two of the wilt diseases are important in Virginia, with a third one sometimes occurring.

Fusarium wilt is a soil borne disease causing more losses to tomato growers in eastern Virginia than any other single disease. Symptoms consist of gradual wilting, often confined at first to one branch or one side of the plant, and subsequent yellowing, browning, and death to the plant. When the stem of an infected plant is cut, a dark ring just inside the outer layer of green is very noticeable. Control of fusarium wilt is best done by rotation, healthy transplants, and resistant varieties. Among the resistant varieties are the commonly used Rutgers and Marglobe. Manalucie, a variety recently introduced by Florida, is resistant to fusarium wilt and several other diseases.

Southern wilt symptoms are rapid wilting of the plant and the presence of a white cottony growth around the stem at or just under the ground line. Thought not causing the widespread loss in Virginia that fusarium wilt does, southern wilt in some cases causes a severe loss in individual fields. Since this disease also is soil borne, rotation, preferably with corn or small grains, is important. As the disease may be introduced with transplants, it is advisable to buy certified transplants in order to be as safe as possible.

Bacterial wilt symptoms include a rapid wilting and dying of the entire plant. As in fusarium wilt, a dark color is present in the area just under the outside green of the stem. Often a microscope is necessary to definitely distinguish between the two. Rotation and use of disease free transplants are important in control.

The North Atlantic Council backs Bonn on German unity.

Nimitz warns of reliance on all-atomic arsenal.

Hixburg

Hixburg, Va., May 13.- John W. Hix and John David, of Appomattox side Community, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Monterey, announce the birth of a daughter, on May 7.

Mr. Ernest [illegible] neighborhood visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] tended the funeral of Mr. H. T. Gilliam, of Appomattox, which was held Saturday.

Sam Erwin [illegible] Va., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hix on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] ors there were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wood and Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Farmville, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood and Mrs. [illegible] of Appomattox.

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Home Agent's Notes

By Mrs. B. G. Andersop
Home Demonstration Agent

[illegible] cleaning time again. [illegible] handsome products [illegible] "housemaid's [illegible] become a thing of the [illegible] the laundry [illegible] to contact [illegible] soap or compounds, we [illegible] the whites have a ten- [illegible] dull, leaving hands [illegible] can be done a- [illegible] to develop the [illegible] habit, since regular [illegible] tion will help prevent [illegible] skin soft and [illegible] other is to lessen cor- [illegible] ing elements.

Dish cleaning, look [illegible] gadgets and cleaning [illegible] are on the market, [illegible] pads are designed to [illegible] the housewife's hands. [illegible] the new spray clean- [illegible] Cotton gins are real [illegible] All that is necessary [illegible] nel, chrome, or glass [illegible] spray on cleaner and [illegible] it with a dry cloth. [illegible] that automatically [illegible] a device on the [illegible] is no contact with [illegible] and no chance of [illegible] Your hands are pro- [illegible] another messy chore [illegible] a long-handled toilet [illegible] scrubble pads. You [illegible] pad, which is re- [illegible] button. Floor waxers [illegible] handles distribute the [illegible] of wax when you [illegible]

[illegible] sets to make cleaning [illegible] hands include treated [illegible] which rinses clean with- [illegible] For additional pro- [illegible] are to wear work [illegible] cleaning. Today's mod- [illegible] bility, allow greater [illegible] movement. Also, make sure you are getting the most benefit from your hand lotion. The makers of hand lotion suggest that you concentrate on the backs of your hands where there are fewer oil glands — and that you use your lotion before and after dry-dirt chores, and always after your hands have been in water. Smooth a lotion along fingers and around your nails and wrists, too.

KNOW THE WEATHER

By E. H. Sims

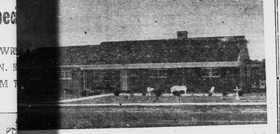
Does the weather have much effect on the way we feel Should planning for business calls and conferences take weather into consideration

There are scientific reasons why this might be desirable, especially for salesmen, even though often it is not practicable

People tend to feel better when the barometer is high - when experiencing a high pressure system, that is. When the barometer falls, people often become more irritable. Catching a prospective customer under these conditions might not be as productive as catching him on a clear, high-barometer day.

The amount of moisture in the air also affects some people. High humidity is usually not agreeable to many of us. So, if the barometer is low and the humidity is high, the salesman might do well to stay at home, or in the office, and do some paper work — or read the newspaper!

So the pressure of air definitely has its effect, as any pilot who ever went through the paces of the "pressure chamber" can testify.



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Washington Notes

U. S. GOLD

While the United States is officially off the gold standard, at last count the earmarked gold in the vaults totaled $6,299,000,000. Foreign nations at home or in other strongholds had $7,805,000,000 more. The United States owns about $22,396,000,000, which makes the total free world supply of gold $36.5 billions, excluding international institutions.

CORN SUPPLIES

Stocks of corn and soybeans in this country on April 1 were at record levels, according to the Agriculture Department, while wheat stocks were the third largest in history and rye stocks the smallest since 1953. Corn stocks were 2,586,791,000 bushels, 12 per cent above the previous high. Stocks of soybeans totaled 216,907,000 bushels, compared with 176,872,000 last year.

U. S. PAYROLL

The Federal pay roll increased by 2,470 persons in March, to a total of 2,392,287. Major increases were in the Treasury, Post Office, Agriculture, Interior, Commerce, and Health, Education and Welfare Departments. Because it was a short month, the Government pay roll dropped to $847,617,000 in February from a record high of more than $1,000,000,000 in January.

CIGARETTE PRICES

It is rumored that cigarette smokers soon may have to pay more for their favorite brands. A price rise is considered likely. Higher costs of materials, labor, equipment and tobacco are held responsible for the prospective rise. Another factor is the cigarette manufacturers' increase in promotional and advertising costs to meet the competition of the greater number of new brands now being offered.

MAJOR CRIMES

The FBI has reported that major crimes in the United States last year increased by 13.3 per cent over 1955, and that nearly 46 per cent of the arrests in such cases were of juveniles under 18. An estimated major crime total last year of 2,563,160 was reported, up 300,700 from 1955, marking the first time that crimes in this category passed the 2,500,000 mark in a single twelve-month period.

NATO

The Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization recently concluded a two-day meeting in Paris. The nations emphasized their determination to meet any aggression with both nuclear and traditional weapons. The reunification of Germany was a major topic before the Council.

RAILROAD FARES

An increase of fifteen per cent in first class passenger fares by six Eastern railroads has been authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The same carriers put a five per cent rise into effect on January 9th, of this year.

INSTALLMENT BUYING

The total outstanding installment debt in the nation at this time is $31,225,000,000, about $2,225,000,000 more than a year ago.

THE CERTAINTY OF WORLD PEACE

(Continued from Page Six)

famine and pestilence have made the earth a great graveyard; crime and oppression have filled it with prisons and dungeons; yet only from a feeble few in all the centuries has the cry been heard: 'Come, Lord Jesus, come quickly.' And today, when crowded cities are full of vice and misery, when nations are beating plowshares into swords and pruninghooks into spears, when the roaring of the discontented and restless peoples is like the roaring of the sea, and men's hearts are failing them for fear; do we hear prayers and supplications to Him that He would come and save us? Papal encyclicals, pastoral epistles of bishops, missives of the clergy to their flocks, missionary reports and addresses, are either wholly silent, or speak with bated breath of His return as an article of faith indeed, but as something that does not practically concern us, and is not to be prayed for or desired.

"The words of the Lord respecting His return are more than a command to watch; they are a promise of the new and Heavenly Order which He will then establish —How can we explain it that Christians do not desire and pray for the fulfillment of such a promise? . . And as it is with His promises, so with His threatenings of judgment. We hear them unmoved. Even the words of awful meaning spoken by the Lord: 'There shall be great tribulation, such as was not from the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be, awaken in many no fear, no dark forebodings, no repentance for the sins which bring upon us such overwhelming judgments.'

"The duty of the Church is plain. She must affirm with far greater distinctness and vigor than she has done since apostolic days, the Person and authority of her Lord; warn the world that He lives to whom the Father has given all authority in heaven and on earth; and that He will not always suffer His authority to be disregarded and the name of His Father blasphemed."

What then? Why? What the whole book emphasizes: that just as surely as He came to earth to go to the cross for the world's redemption, just so surely will He come back to earth again — the only hope, but the sure hope of the kingdom of God on earth from which war and all other evils are completely and forever banished.

To believe this with all our hearts and to proclaim this with all our powers, that is the greatest thing you and I can do to hasten the coming of that kingdom.

RURAL MINISTERS SUMMER SCHOOL AT VPI, JULY 1-5

A series of morning lectures on rural church administration and music in a rural church will be a feature of the 1957 summer school for rural ministers at VPI, July 1-5.

Dr. James R. Sydnor, organist and choir director at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Richmond, and editor of "The Hymnal for Christian Worship," will give the lectures on music. Garland A. Hendricks, associate professor, Southeastern Baptist Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C., will give the lectures on administration.

Morning seminars on a variety of subjects for both the ministers and their wives also are planned.

Further details are available from Dr. Donald R. Fessler, VPI Agricultural Extension Service, Blacksburg.

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Vera

Vera, May 13.- "Verily, verily, I say unto you, he that heareth my word, and believeth on Him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation but is passed from death unto life." John 5:24.

The W. M. U. of New Hope held their meeting in the home of Mrs. Louise Carnefix on Wednesday night, with good attendance.

Right many from the New Hope Church attended the James River Association, held at Mulberry Grove Church on Thursday.

Miss Merle Reynolds visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey and Harriette visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harvey and Mrs. Eva Hayden, of Richmond, visited Mrs Maude Abbitt on Sunday.

Lieut. Charles A. Harvey, of Anchorage, Alaska, says that the weather up there is fine and the day long, as the sun rises at 3:30, and sets at 8.

Miss Harriette Harvey attended the 9th brthday celebration of Miss Sandra Kay Harvey on the 8th. She received a lot of nice gifts.

Farmers are having fine weather for saving their hay.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harvey, and Mrs. Eva Hayden, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carson, and Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Jr. and children.

Mother's Day passed off very nicely. So many happy homes with all of the families present, and preaching services were well attended.

We are really having a dry spell. Rain is badly needed.

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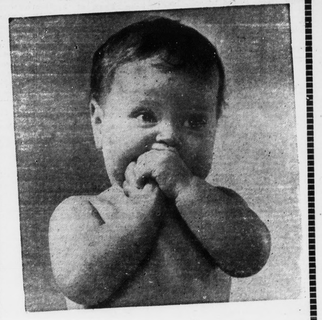

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